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Entered at the Postoffice at Pioche, Nevada,

THE ANANIAS CLUB.

Its Members Tell Some Astonishingly Bald-Faced Lies.

A Powerful Frenchman Who Pulled a Railroad Train—An Herculean Bostonian Whose Cnief Amusement Consisted in Boring Holes with His Head.

"The most powerful man I ever saw was a Zulu called 'Spotlet,' who worked next to me when we were digging the Panama canal," remarked Patrolman Conklin. "What in other men was a strenuous effort was to him the merest child's play. He saved the company a great deal of money in blasting powder alone. Any thing he could get a firm grip on had to come. I have seen him toss a twenty-ton rock out of the ditch as easily as Patrolman Davis can juggle a wienerwurst."

"When I was in Paree," said Patrolman Asch, "I saw a man used instead of a locomotive on one of the railroads. He would be coupled to a train and would pull it at a good, fair speed. Of course, he didn't make the time that an engine would make, but if my memory serves me right, he made about fifteen miles an hour. I had quite a talk with the superintendent of the road, and he was much pleased with the experiment. He said the company would very likely use men to haul its trains exclusively. It was much cheaper and the danger from collision was not great. This would make up for the lack of speed. The expense of shoeing and feeding the man was considerable, but still he was cheap, as compared with the average loco-

"A funny thing happened on the road a few days before I left. The man-engine drank too much wine, and in staggering from one side of the track to the other kept derailing the cars, and the entire traffic of the road was delayed for several hours, or until the engine got sober enough to go ahead. A scheme like this would be a good thing for this country, I think."

"In 1850 I was in San Francisco," chipped in Patrolman Jim Pope. "The gold fever was raging, and every one had exalted ideas of the wealth that was to be found in the earth. I was much younger than I am now - though you would hardly think it to look at me - and, like every one else, I went to the moutains to dig gold. I had a peculiarly-formed pick great success. In the point of the pickaxe was placed a dynamite cartridge, and every time I would sink the pick six inches into the rock, the cartridge would explode, thus blasting out the stone and saving a great deal of extra work. I had been picking away for about two months on top of a mountain and had made quite a hole. The yield was pretty fair, and I had about \$18,000 in gold nuggets laid away. One day I went down into my mine and was working away like a good fellow. Suddenly the stone floor slowly raised for a distance of two feet. I yelled to my partner to haul me up, for I didn't know what was coming. 'Don't be alarmed, friend,' said a voice under the stone. 'I'll be out in a minute and then I'll talk to you.' Sure enough a head popped up and a man slowly drew himself through the aperture.

"'Did you say howdy?' said the stranger with a laugh. 'I know I said howdy. Pretty tight squeeze, but I made it.' Of course you understand, friends, I was considerably rattled.

"'Who are you and where did you come from?' I asked. "Before furnishing the required diagram and accompanying explanation let me inquire if you have any chewing tobacco about you? said the stranger. I handed over a slab of 'black strap' plug. and after helping himself liberally the stranger handed the plug back, remark-ing: 'That's good stuff. Well, as to who I am, I'm not ashamed to tell you. My name is Sardanapalus Boiling, Esq. My home is in Boston. You needn't tell me your name, for I know you. You are Jim Pope, of Indianapolis. I suppose you want to know how I came here. Well, I have no objection to telling you. About three months ago I started a tunuel at the side of the mountain, thinking that I would find plenty of ore. I met with poor success, and after I had gone in about half a mile I made up my mind to abandon my claim, when some-thing seemed to tell me to bore up in-stead of down. I thought it wouldn't do

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any narm to try it just for fuck, and so I commenced. I had taken out a good deal of ore when I heard you pounding up above me, and I concluded to come on and join you, and here I am.'

"But where are your tools?" I asked, a astonishment. "Toois?" exclaimed in astonishment. 'Toois?' exclaimed Mr. Boiling, of Boston. 'I had no tools. I did all my tunneling with my hands, head and feet. I would just put my head against the earth, whirl around and have a hole about to my shoulders, and then I would tear out the earth or rock, or whatever it might be, with my hands. Sometimes I would lay down on my back and kick a hole with my heels, but I didn't like to do that very much because I would get dirt in my eyes.' Well, to make a long story short, the mining firm of Pope & Boiling was formed, and we worked together for three years. We became very wealthy, established a line of steamships between San Francisco and Cape Cod, and when Boiling died he was worth \$10,000,000. The money I made I've got yet."

And then, says the Indianapolis News, the Ananias Club adjourned.

Tricks in Parlor Electricity. A very simple apparatus for obtaining an electric spark is made by a German physicist, says the Arkansaw Traveler. Round the center of a common lamp-chimney is pasted a strip of tin foil, and another strip pasted from one end of the chimney to within a quarter of an inch of this ring. Then a piece of silk is wrapped around a brush, and the interior of the chimney is rubbed briskly. In the dark a bright, electric spark may be seen to pass from one piece of tin foil to the other each time the brush is withdrawn from the chimney. Many other experiments can be tried with this apparatus.

PERSIAN STREET SCENES.

A Graphic Pen-Picture of Lively Incidents in a Teberan Bacar.

Mounted cavallers or grandees, attended by numerous outriders, produce general consternation when moving pompously through the bazars in Persia. Every one darts quickly out of the way of the mettlesome steeds, which seem to take special pleasure in showing off when half a hundred women and children are almost under their

The ferauches who clear the way for the great man show mercy to no one. Be it dog or donkey, man or woman that comes within the reach of their corbash, or whip, it descends on all alike. Amusing scenes often occur, and some that are pitiful as well, when some one gets hit or knocked down.

Vailed women, with shricks of laughter or cries of pain, fly hither and thither, trying to keep the mantle over their faces in all their hurry, and the yelp of curs mingles with the metallic ring of the Arabian steed when his iron shoe strikes fire from the pavement.

Add to this scene embroidered costumes and housings of brilliant colors, jeweled weapons, men of haughty mien, THE LARGEST STOCK OF PRESH Nubian slaves, and the varied parapher nalia of the surrounding booths, grouped in the demi-twilight of a bazar on a warm afternoon in June, says a writer in the Home-Maker, and you have a picture offering the chromatic glow and variety of a Veronese tempered by the low, rich, imaginative tone of a Rembrandt, to which two centuries have added indescribable depth.

AN ACTOR'S STORY.

How Selfishness Added to the Griping Pangs of Hunger.

"Talk about the ups and downs of an actor's life," remarked a veteran player to a Chicago Tribune reporter the other day. "Why, most actors live a life-time in a single season. The swellest banquet I ever attended and the hardestgot meal I secured both came in the same season. The banquet came early in October, when the star celebrated the anniversary of his debut as a star. The latter came the following spring when we were traveling on our trunks from Washington, D. C., to Louisville, Ky. It was an all-day ride, and we knew that we couldn't eat till we could show again. Jamestown was the dinner station, and the manager and I got to talking over the prospects for chuck, I confided to him that I had ten cents in postage stamps; he said that he had a nickel; so we agreed to shake the rest of the company and feast together. The manager hid himself in the baggageroom at the station and I went up-town to a bakery, where I purchased a pie with our combined wealth, and returned to my friend. The switchman's dinnerpail hung tempting near by and we opened it; but we hadn't the heart to take more than a couple of pickles from the poor fellow. It was a dainty meal -pickles, pie and cake (stoma-chache). The joke of the whole thing was that the star, a smooth man, had meanwhile out."____ L

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Office at residence, Upper Main Street.

Notice for Publication

LAND OFFICE AT EUREKA, NEVADA, May 6, 1890.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to m ke final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before District Court of Nevada, at Pioche, on Monday, June 30, 1890, viz:

Homestead Entry, No. 200, of Joseph Conaway, for the southwest quarter of northeast, northwest quarter of northeast northwest quarter of southwest quarter. Sec. 25, T. 4. South of R. 66, East.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz:

Names of Witnesses.

Samuel Kershaw of Meadow Valley Wash, Nev. W. H. Carlow of Panca, Nev. W. H. Carlow of Panca, Nev. Wm., Culverwell of Phoche, Nev. To D. H. HALL, Register,

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MASONIC BALL.

UNDER THE AUSPICES OF



ST. JOHN'S LODGE NO. 18, F, & A. M.,

KEYSTONE CHAPTER NO. 6, R. A. M.

TO BE GIVEN AT

BROWN'S HALL. PIOCHE.

Tuesday Evening June 24th, 1890,

ST. JOHN'S DAY.

COMMITTEE OF ARRANGEMENTS, T. J. Osborne. D. C. Clark. P. H. Taylor. W. R. McFadden,

COMMITTEE ON INVITATIONS. D. C. Clark, John Roeder.

Mrs. P. H. Taylor. RECEPTION COMMITTEE, E. D. Turner,

Mark Churich,

Chas, Ellis.

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Mrs. Georgia Fulks, Mrs. Alfred Godbe, Mrs. 1. Osborne. FLOOR DIRECTOR,

LW. R. McFadden.

FLOOR MANAGERS. E. D. Turner,

TICKETS, - - - \$1.50. To be had at the Post Office and the usual places about town.

CARL SCHUMAN,

Grand march to commence at 9 o'clock sharp.

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NOTICE.

All accounts due me for work done to date white in the Carman blacksmith shop have been transferred to H. E. Froudenthal, who will collect and receipt for the same.

Pioche, Nev. May 27, 1896. H. D. SPICER.

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REPUBLICAN STATE CONVENTION.

REPUBLICAN STATE CENTRAL COMMITTEE, VIRGINIA CITY, Nev., May 20, 1890. at a meeting of the Republican State Central Committee of Nevada, held this day, it was or-lered that a

Republican State Convention

VIRGINIA CITY,

Thursday, Sept. 4th, 1890,

At 2 o'clock r. M., for the purpose of nomi-nating a full State Ticket, viz:

Member of Congress,

Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Andge of the Supreme Court, Clerk of the Supreme Court,

Attorney General, Secretary of State,

Surveyor General,

State Controller, State Treasurer.

State Printer, Superintendent of Public Instruc-Pour Judges of the District Court,

Two Members of Board of Regents State University.

Also for the Appointment of a STATE CENTRAL COMMITTEE.

The basis of representation of the respec-tive counties in the said Convention shall be one delegate for each 50 votes, and one for each fraction of 25 votes or over, east for the Harri-son and Morton Electors, aggregating 146 dele-gates, apportioned as follows: Churchill County.....

The several Republican County Central Committees will call a PRIMARY ELECTION.

Of the People on SATURDAY, AUGUST 16th, 1890. For the purpose of electing Delegates to the said State Convention, the Frimary Elections to be carried out in compliance with the laws of the State and the instructions of this Com-mittee.

The following test will be required of each and every voter at the said Primary elections. "I am a cilizen of this State and will support the nominees of the Republican party."

The following Resolutions were unanimous-

The following Resolutions were unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That this committee re-affirms the State and National Republican platform of 1888, including the declaration that "the Republican party is in favor of the use of both gold and silver as money" and that it "condems all efforts to demonetize silver."

Resolved, That the persistent neglect of Secretary Windom to increase the coinage of silver to the maximum of four million dollars per month, coupled with his attempt to influence Congressional legislation so as to perpetuate silver demonetization, is a shameless violation of the silver plank of the National Republican platform, an attack upon the rights and interests of the inners, farmers and workers of the land, and an act of party perfect of the interest of an Administration which is pledged to help and not to hinder the remonetization of silver.

Resolved, That the Republican party of this State is in favor of tree and unlimited coinage of both gold and silver; that it holds to this principle as a tenent of party faith and a test of party silegiance; that it will permit of no abandonment or modifiction of this doctrine; that it whosever will provereceant to the principle of bimetallism it will remain steadfast thereto, and that it invites all voters in Nevada who favor the repeal of the silver was demonetized, and who desire the establishment of free and unlimited coinage at the law of the United States of America, to join in electing delegates to a Republica.

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DISSOLUTION.

NOTICE IS HEREBY CIVEN THAT THE firm of MCCKS & CLARK, Ploche, Lincoln county, Nevada, have this day, by mutual consent, dissolved co-partnership.

All debts owed the said firm, and all moneys due the said firm, will be paid by Jas. Mocks.

Mocks & Chank.